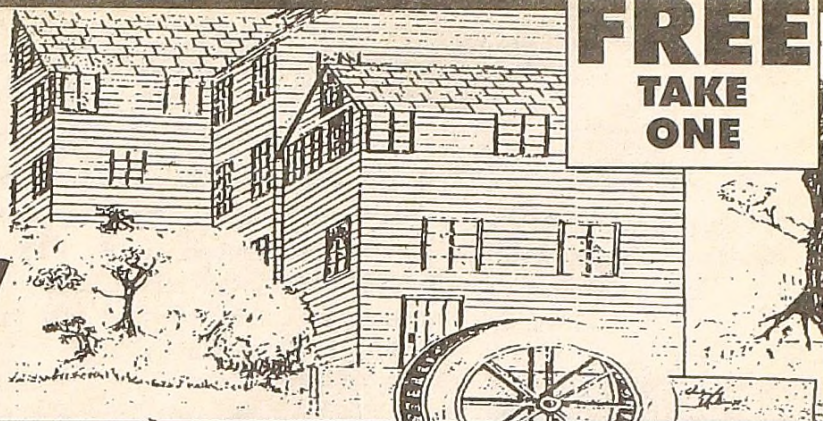


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Gypsy Moth Deadline

What options do you have if you have a gypsy moth infestation?

First, you can let the problem go. If left untreated, the gypsy moth population will build up to a point where the caterpillar population gets so high that there is too much competition for food. This stress can trigger a doormat virus in the caterpillar that will cause a population collapse and you will see a greatly reduced gypsy moth population for several years until the populations reach epidemic proportions again. There is a downside to this approach though.

You'll have to suffer through several heavy years of gypsy moth infestation and the resulting defoliation of your trees can sap the tree's resources. Although gypsy moth may not directly kill the trees, the declining health of the trees may hinder their ability to fight off other parasites and you may lose some beautiful trees as a result.

You'll have limited use and enjoyment of your property in the meantime. It won't be much fun holding a barbecue in your backyard – having to hold a paper plate over your food while you're eating tends to ruin your appetite.

Secondly, you can opt for local treatment. You can place a paper band around your trees and put a sticky substance on the paper band. During the hottest part of the day, caterpillars will crawl down the tree seeking cooler areas. When they reach the band, they'll get stuck and this will keep them from returning to continue feeding on your leaves. This will require

regular maintenance. You'll have to scrape the caterpillars off periodically to prevent them from forming a "caterpillar bridge" and just walking over top of each other. Another approach is to place burlap bags around the trunk of the tree – caterpillars will crawl under the bags seeking shade from the heat of the day. You'll still have to go out and scrape the caterpillars into a coffee can of soapy water, bury them or burn them in order to destroy them. Yet another approach is to scrape as many egg masses as you can into soapy water before the caterpillars hatch. The soapy water will kill the eggs and since each egg mass can contain up to 1,000 eggs,

this can be quite helpful in controlling the gypsy moth problem.

In a situation where you only have a few trees and they are small enough to reach from the ground, you can use a ground sprayer to protect your trees. Several insecticides are approved for gypsy moth treatment. The major concern is safe application. Most insecticides are "contact agents." That means they have to come in contact with their target to be effective. It also means that it can be harmful to other non-target insects, and possibly harmful to pets and people. Special care must also be taken when applying these pesticides around surface water.

Finally, you can participate in an organized suppression program. Huron Township has opted to organize its own gypsy moth suppression program. Through this program, property owners who wish to participate can have their property sprayed by a licensed aerial applicator. The same standards used by the Wayne County Gypsy Moth Suppression Program for spraying will be followed. The only difference is that this program will be planned and controlled directly by Huron Township.

Spraying is highly effective and is much more suitable for treating larger areas.

Where areas of infestation occur in mature woodlots (trees too tall to spray effectively from the ground), aerial spraying is most effective. The added benefit of this approach is that it allows for an organized, professional approach throughout the township. Additionally, the insecticide being used by the township program is *Bacillus Thuringiensis* (Bt) which is an organic insecticide. Not a contact agent, Bt is spraying in a manner which allows it to stick to the leaves and when the caterpillars eat the leaves, they are affected. Thus, Bt is not harmful to pets, people, wildlife, birds, or fish. This allows it to be spraying safely in residential areas as well as around surface water without the unwanted side effects of contact agents.

To be effective, timing is vitally important for aerial spraying. Gypsy moth caterpillars go through five molting stages (called instars). Ideally, aerial spraying should take place with 50-percent of the caterpillars are in the second instar and 50-percent are in the third instar. If you spray too early, young caterpillars will actually eat around the droplets of Bt on the leaves. If you spray too late, the caterpillars will have gained enough body mass that their systems can tolerate larger amounts of Bt and results will be less effective.



"Sold to the highest bidder" was heard on Thursday, March 26, 1998, and Friday, March 27, 1998 when St. John's Lutheran School held their third annual auction at Grafton Hall in Carleton.

There were approximately 550 items sold at a silent and live auction during the two-day event. Everything from Beanie Babies to vacation packages were sold. The highest bid item was a Disney World package, donated by David and Tina Green, that went for \$2,800. On Friday evening, a day

with our D.A.R.E. officer Keith Nickrand sold for \$450 and a day on the bench at 34th District Court with Judge Tina Brooks-Green sold for \$250.

To all our readers who have never been to this event, it is great fun! For a small price you are served an excellent meal and get to watch your friends spend all their money. There were approximately 200 people in attendance.

Keep a watch out for next year's event!

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Community Calendar

Wednesday, April 22

Mans Lumber Chamber of Commerce After Business Hours at 6 p.m.

Saturday, April 25

There will be a Dog Clinic at Middlebelt Fire Station No. 3.

Monday, April 27

St. Paul's Lutheran, located at the corner of Craig and Ellis, will be holding a Blood Drive from 2-8 p.m.

Tuesday, April 28

Township Manager Information Meeting at Krzyske Community Center from 7-9 p.m.

Wednesday, April 29

St. Stephen's School field trip to Monroe Evening News, 10:30 a.m. Free.

Saturday, May 2 Sunday, May 3

15 and 16 year old tryouts for Down River Little Caesar

Travel Team. Held at Huron High School diamond at 10 a.m. Additional information is available by calling Mark at 734-487-7742 or Randy at 734-753-9596.

Boys 15-16 HAA Baseball tryouts at Huron High School JV field. For additional information call 753-9596.

Wednesday, May 6

Huron Countryside Co-Op Nursery open house. Noon-2 p.m., and 5-7 p.m. at Miller Elementary. Call 734-782-2115 for further information.

Senior Citizens Health Screening, 9 a.m.-noon at 24820 Merriman. 60 years and older.

Friday, May 8 and Friday, June 12

St. Paul's Fish Dinner. Adults \$7, children ages 5-11 \$4. Call 753-9048 for further information.

Saturday, May 9

Wolver-Bents Bicyclists

meet at 9 a.m. at Willow Metro Park Pool Shelter. All bicyclists welcome for rides through the Metropark.

Huron River Riders Benefit ride for Multiple Sclerosis, 11 a.m. Oakwoods Metro Park Horse staging area. To ride or to make a donation call 753-3368.

Girls 15-17 HAA Softball tryouts at Huron High School JV field. For additional information call 753-3397.

Thursday, May 21

Huron River Riders monthly meeting, 7:30 Krzyske Hall. Pizza party. BYO pop. No more meetings 'till September. See you on the rides.

Mondays through March and April

Chuck Angel will be in the township every Monday to discuss Gypsy Moth questions during March and April from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

First Thursday of each Month

Recreation Committee

meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall.

Fourth Tuesday of each Month

V.F.W. Post 6040 of New Boston, meets at 11 a.m. at the Krzyske Center in Waltz.

Bi-Monthly Meetings

M.O.P.S. (Mothers of Pre-Schoolers) meet the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at St. John's Lutheran Church in Waltz from 9-11 a.m. There is free child care available. Come for rest, support, crafts, and affirmation. For mothers of infants through kindergarten-age children. For additional information call 654-3988.

Township Meetings

Board of Trustees meet second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 7:30 at the Krzyske Center in Waltz.

Planning Commission meets the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the

Krzyske Center.

Zoning Board of Appeals meets the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Krzyske Center.

Historical Committee meets the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall.

Recycling Committee meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall.

Telecommunications Committee meets the last Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall.

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Letter to the Editor

To the Editor:

At the Huron Township Board meeting on April 8, 1998, Scott Adkins made a statement that the fliers being passed out by the Citizens to

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Recall the Big 5 contain false statements. This is not true! We question the expenditures of the \$73,000 H.U.D. Block Grant Funds being wasted not illegal.

There was no consideration made for programs for people! We think that \$11,500 to the historical commission to install central heat and air conditioning in that old house in New

Boston is a gross waste of township funds! It may be legal but it isn't ethical! The historical commission has been the recipient of funds from several organizations in the community. They hold fund raisers, etc. We are not opposed to preserving history but we are opposed to wasting money!

Senior citizens and the youth of this community need recreation programs and a recreation director. The township needs a municipal center with a library. There are many legal ways that those funds could be spent that would benefit PEOPLE. Historical homes do not need to be air conditioned at the expense of children and seniors!

We also question his right to use public access television time to further his political position!

Rebecca Alfano
Citizens to Recall the Big 5



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Mortgage Refinancing Q&A

Q. I understand that mortgage interest rates are at their lowest in several years. Should I refinance my mortgage?

A. Rates are hovering around seven percent for a 30-year, fixed-rate mortgage. That's pretty low. Refinancing can lower your monthly payments, consolidate higher-interest debt, free up money to invest in other types of assets or pay off the loan sooner to save you thousands of dollars in interest. However, that doesn't mean that everyone should automatically refinance. And the decision isn't just whether to refinance, but how to refinance. Each homeowner should run the numbers with the help of their financial advisor.

Q. Doesn't the rule of thumb say you shouldn't bother to refinance unless the new interest rate is at least two percent below your existing loan rate?

A. Yes, but it may pay to refinance even if you only save one percent or less on the rates. This is especially true now with many lenders cutting closing costs, and in some cases offering no-cost refinancing.

Q. Explain the costs to me.

A. Closing costs can include

credit checks, appraisals, title search, attorney fees, and points (each point is one percent of the amount of the loan). Some lenders forgo some or all of the closing costs, but they will charge a higher interest rate. Consequently, even though one lender's interest rate might be lower than another's, it's not necessarily a good deal. Closing costs and interest rates vary from lender to lender, so you need to shop around. Also, some states charge "mortgage taxes" that can add two percent to the mortgage amount.

Q. Sounds confusing. How do I know whether it's worth refinancing?

A. It depends on several factors.

• The longer you plan to live in your home after you refinance, the better. That gives

you time to recoup refinancing costs and begin to save real money. Before deciding to refinance, you need to determine the number of months or years it will take you to reach that break-even point.

• Generally, the larger the loan being refinanced, the less time it will take to break even since the savings will be

greater in proportion to the fixed closing costs. However, "jumbo" loans over \$207,000 carry higher interest rates, which stretches out the break-even point.

• The lower your tax bracket, the more attractive refinancing. That's because most homeowners can deduct their mortgage interest on their tax

return. Refinancing means that savings from the lower monthly payment is partially offset by the resulting smaller tax deduction. However, homeowners in the lower tax brackets lose a smaller percentage of tax benefits than homeowners in higher brackets.

• The more points you pay

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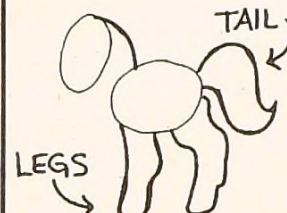
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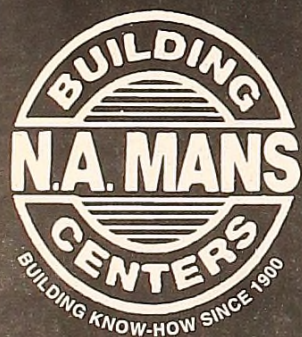
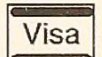
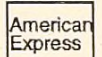
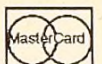
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History of Huron Township

by D. Pustelak, Sr., CRS

When the Wyandot Indians left the Huron River Reservation 1842, transferred by their Uncle Sam first to Sandusky then later to Indian Territory, they left behind them a few relics that overlapped into the twentieth century. One was a Bag of Gold and the Headstone of their last Chief, Qua Qua, whose Granddaughter later lived in a log house on the old Rinnie farm which was razed in 1906.

"My folks found the gold about \$37," said Miss Hattie Wager, after by came to this

farm across the road from Hattie's old house in 1855. They supposed that the Indians, when they got their payments from the government, buried some of it for safe keeping. However that may be. When our people get about to clear the land, plant the fields, they uncovered that money. I have often heard my parents speak of Katie Qua Qua. She was very old when they came here and lived in a log house which some white pioneer had built. The Indians, at least the early ones, were not much for building homes not even like this. In 1906, after a large white family had

lived in it for a while, the farm was sold and the new owners razed the log building. That was the last of the old Katie Qua Qua House.

The headstone of her grand-

father found in abandoned Indian Burying Grounds just across the way was imbedded in the concrete of the monument in the Huron River Park. That is all that still stands of

the Wyandots Tribe that once lived in this valley.

This article was from the Detroit News, May 1933.

In Loving Memory

James N. Robinson

James N. Robinson, age 84, of Huron Township, in New Boston, Michigan, died Sunday, March 8, 1998, at his residence.

He was the beloved husband of the late Jeannette L. Robinson, and dear father of Steven D. Robinson of New Boston, and Cynthia A. (Ron) Presson of Taylor, Michigan.

Born July 20, 1913, in Minorsville, Kentucky, he was the dear son of Clarence C.

and Lula (Dogell) Robinson. He has several siblings in Kentucky.

He was preceeded in death by his parents and his wife, Jeannette in 1996.

He was the proprietor of a party store on Eureka Road in Romulus for many years.

Funeral services were Wednesday, Marcy 11, at David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville, Michigan, with Pastor Clifford J. Molnar, of Evangel Church in Taylor

officiating. Interment Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock, Michigan.

Arrangments were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home, Belleville, (734) 697-4500.

Janice M. Beckington

Janice M. Beckington, age 61, of Valrico, Florida - formerly of Cadillac, Michigan and Belleville, died Thursday, April 9, 1998 at Chelsea

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The Committee appointed by the Huron Township Board of Trustees to investigate the feasibility of hiring a Township Manager will be holding a Public Information Meeting on April 29th, 1998 at the Krzyske Community Center in Waltz.

The meeting will be from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m.

The purpose of this meeting is to share information with the citizens with respect to hiring a Township Manager, and to answer questions and concerns.

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Refinance

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up front, the lower the interest rates. The longer you plan to be in your home, generally the better this strategy.

- The length of the loan. If you stretch out your existing loan when you refinance, you may actually end up paying more in total interest even with a lower interest rate.

- Whether there is a prepayment penalty on your existing mortgage.

Q. Should I consider getting an adjustable rate mortgage (ARM) instead of a

fixed?

A. Generally, this works only if you plan to move in three or four years and if you can save more in the first year than the total cost of refinancing. ARM rates typically are lower in the first year or two than fixed rates, but are likely to jump after that.

Q. Should I refinance to pay off other existing debt, such as credit cards?

A. That's a consideration, but be aware that you're putting the investment in your home at greater risk – especially if you don't change the spending habits that ran up

credit-car and other existing debt in the first place. You also may put more than your home at risk by refinancing. Some states, such as California, allow lenders to use only the home itself as collateral in the event of a default on the first mortgage. But if the mortgage

is refinanced, the lender can look to all of your assets in the event of default.

This column is produced by the Institute of Certified Financial Planners, a national

association representing the top financial planners in the country, and is provided by Michael Glaab, CFP, a local member in good standing of the Institute.

It's A Girl!

Haley Rae Strickland, born April 3, 1998, at 1:51 p.m. has arrived!

Her parents, Jason Strickland of New Boston, and Leslie Grubbs of Belleville were happy to see the seven-pound seven-ounce, 20½-inch girl arrive.

Also proud are her grand-

parents, Russell and Kathline Strickland, of New Boston.

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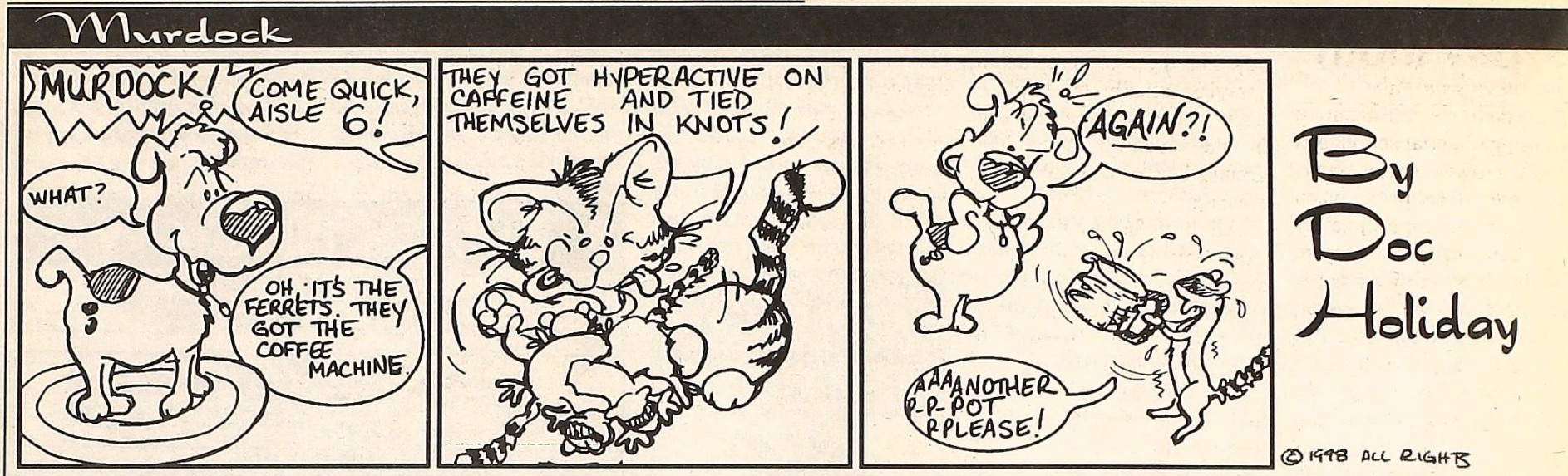
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In Memory

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Community Hospital in Chelsea, Michigan.

She was dear mother of Paula (David) Morlock of St. Joseph, Michigan; Tammy (Charles) White of Manchester, Michigan; Renee

Hughey of Flat Rock, Michigan; and Scott (Linda) Beckington, of Romulus.

Born July 13, 1936 in Belleville, she was dear daughter of Margaret (Suhoza) Simpson and the late Harold Simpson.

She was sister of Richard (Marie) Simpson of Taylor, Gary (Lorraine) Simpson of Lincoln Park, Michigan, and Andrea (Rob) Sokolowski of Harrison, Michigan.

She had seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Ms. Beckington was a General Motors retiree, and a member of Loyal Order of Moose Lodge #934.

Funeral services were Monday, April 13, at David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville with Father Alexander J. Wytrwal, of St. Stephens Catholic Church in New Boston officiating. Interment Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock.

Memorial contributions to Alanon or any alcoholic association, would be appreciated.

Arrangements by David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville, (734) 697-4500.

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by Georgette Willoughby

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF HURON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Huron will hold a public hearing, May 11, 1998, at Krzyske Community Center, located at 28245 Mineral Springs, New Boston, MI 48164, on the following:

ZC 204-05-98 Huron Township Planning Commission request to Amend - Article XIV-A. Section 1402 A 3B1.

Delete existing statement and replace with the following.

1. Building Coverage. The total of all buildings on the lot shall be regulated in Article XVI.

Copy of the Zoning Ordinance (Ordinance No. 25) including the text, official map, and the petitioners request may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on weekdays until the date of public hearing. Written comments concerning this request will be received at the Township Office from the date of this publication until the date of the public hearing.

Dawnette K. Bowers, Clerk
Charter Township of Huron

Publish: HRW 4-22-98 and 5-6-98

Gypsy Moth

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An additional consideration for timing of aerial spraying is the leaf growth. Aerial spraying should take place when leaves are at approximately 50-percent of their mature growth. If you spray too early, there isn't enough foliage for the Bt to pick to and much of the insecticide will end up on the ground. If you spray too late, the leaves will be too large and only the upper portion of the canopy will get treated.

And, last but not least, weather is a factor. You need to spray when the wind is at a minimum to prevent "drift" and to ensure accuracy of spraying. You can't spray in the hottest part of the day because thermals (warm surface temperatures causing the air to rise) will prevent Bt from reaching and penetrating the forest canopy before it dries out. This will cause the droplets to not stick to the

leaves (if it reaches them at all). For these reasons, aerial spraying usually takes place early in the morning and late in the evening when the ground is cool and the winds are calm.

All these factors dictate the exact time of spraying. In this area, generally, spraying will take place between mid-May to end of May. However, if warm weather or cold weather prevails, the exact spray dates may be moved up or slid back accordingly.

Being included in the spray program. To be included in the Huron Township Gypsy Moth Spray Program, you must complete a form and turn it in with your payment. Cost for having your property sprayed is \$19 per acre and the minimum spray block size is 25 acres. If you don't have 25 acres, that doesn't mean you're out of luck. You can talk to your neighbors - if you have a gypsy moth problem, chances are they have one too. Together, chances are you and

your neighbors can combine for enough acreage to be included in the program.

I've dealt with some property owners who have five acres or less but will be willing to pay the full cost just to get their property sprayed. In a situation like that, two options are available: 1) We can contact adjacent property owners and obtain their permission to spray an additional buffer zone around your property - if you're paying for 25 acres, you should get your money's worth; or, 2) If adjacent property owners are unwilling to allow their property to be sprayed - and under Federal law they have that right - then close coordination will be made with aerial spraying to ensure that your property is more thoroughly sprayed. Generally, that's not a problem with an aerial sprayer - they take great pride in doing their job well, too.

The key is to complete the spray form completely to ensure that your property can

be readily identified and both the form and payment must be received no later than April 30, 1998 at the Huron Township Office. Cost again is \$19 per acre and minimum spray block size is 25 acres. Checks should be made payable to Huron Township and accompanied by a completed spray form.

If anyone has questions concerning the Gypsy Moth Spray Program, you can reach me in person or by phone (753-4466) at the Township Office each Monday, through the end of April or by e-mail at halocomp@provide.net.

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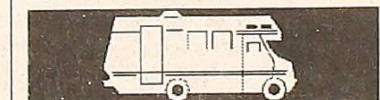
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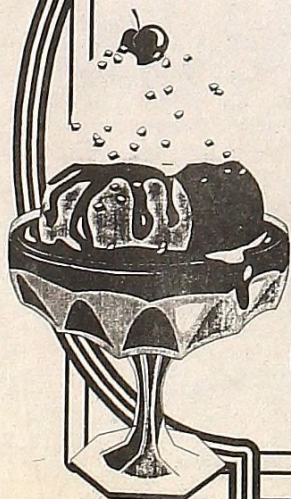
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